 <p>RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS</p>	Attorney Docket No.	837.1972D
	Application Number	10/673,183
	Filing Date	September 30, 2003
	First Named Inventor	Teruhiro KUBO
	Group Art Unit	2661
Title:	OPTICAL DEVICE, TERMINAL APPARATUS, AND SYSTEM FOR WAVELENGTH DIVISION MULTIPLEXING	

In response to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed March 23, 2006 for the above-identified application, enclosed are the following:

- ☒ RETURN COPY of Notice to File Corrected Application Papers
☐ Drawings
☐ English-language translation of application
☐ A substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52
☒ Amendment to Abstract, to place the Abstract in compliance with 37 CFR 1.72(b)

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Since the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers set an original due date of , petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$120)); (2 months (\$450)); (3 months (\$1,020)); (4 months (\$1,590)); (5 months (\$2,160)):

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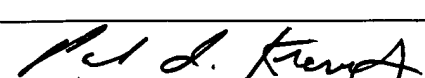
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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is in response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers (hereafter the "Notice") mailed March 23, 2006.

The Notice indicates that the Abstract is incomplete.

As indicated in the Notice, the Abstract ends on page 37 in an incomplete sentence. Therefore, the Abstract appears incomplete.

Moreover, the total number of words in the Abstract exceeds the 150 word limit indicated by 37 CFR 1.72.

Therefore, the Abstract is amended herein in response to the Notice and to be in compliance with 37 CFR 1.72.

In view of the above, it is respectfully requested that this Amendment be entered.

Moreover, it is respectfully submitted that this Amendment is in full compliance with the Notice.